

Overall Diagram for Storage Access Service

FIG. 1

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User Site	Host Port ID	LDEV ID	Time Zone	Access Schedule
Α	Port 1	1	GMT-8	Daily, 8AM-10AM
Α .	Port 2	2	GMT-8	Saturday, 1AM-5AM
Α	Port 3	4	GMT-8	All Day

LDEV Access Schedule Management Table

FIG. 2

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User Site	Host Port ID	LDEV ID	Start Time	End Time	
Α	Port 1	1 .	01/01/2000 AM08:00	01/01/2000 AM09:45	
Α	Port 3	4	01/01/2000 AM03:00	01/01/2000 PM03:00	
Α	Port 3	4	01/02/2000 AM03:00	01/02/2000 PM05:00	
Α	Port 2	2	01/03/2000 AM01:00	01/03/2000 AM06:00	

LDEV Access History Table

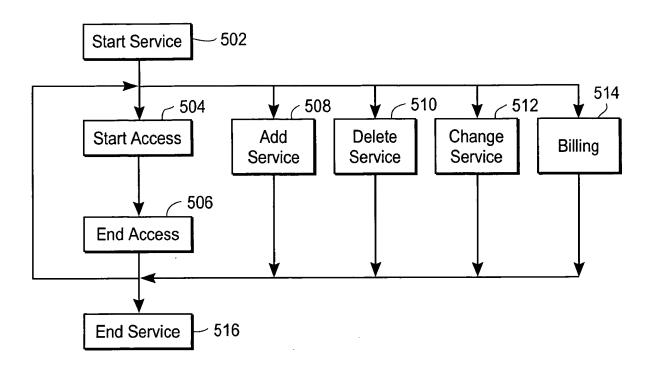
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Time Zone	Time and Price List for Storage Access Service							
Time Zone	0 5	6 11	1 12 17	18	23			
GMT-12	Price D	Price A	Price B	Price C				
GMT-11	Price D	Price A	Price B	Price C				
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GMT	Price A	Price B	Price C	Price D				
GMT+11	Price B	Price C	Price D	Price A				
GMT+12	Price B	Price C	Price D	Price A				

Price List Table

FIG. 4



Storage Access Service Flow FIG. 5

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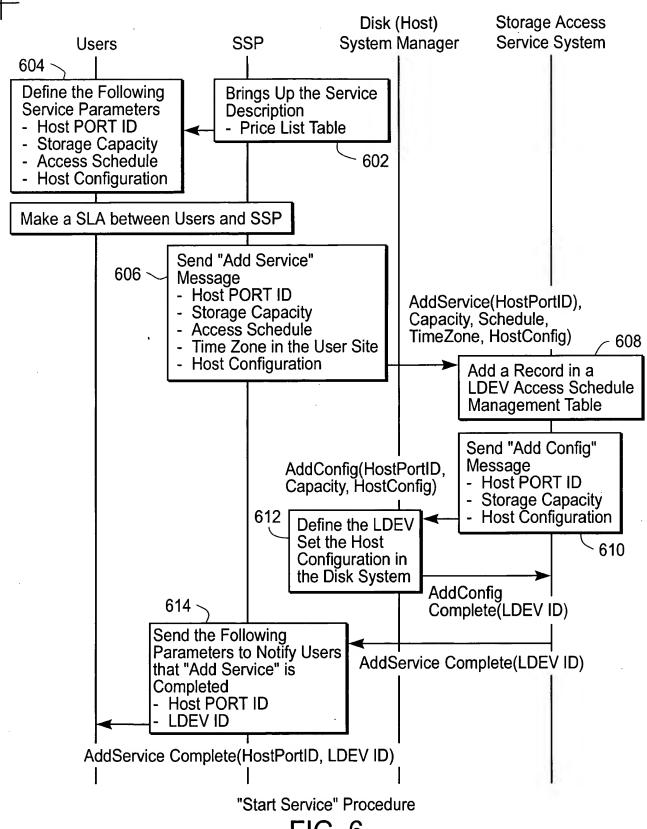
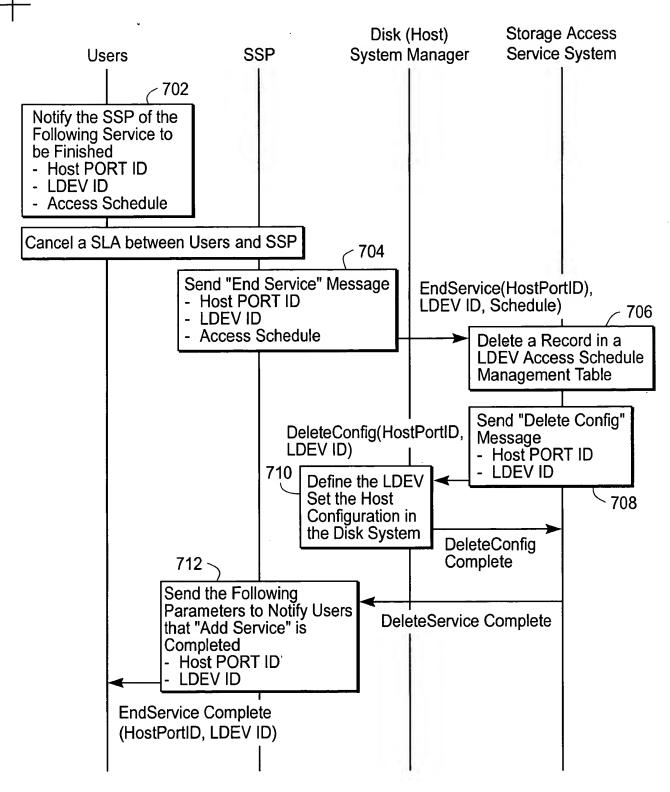


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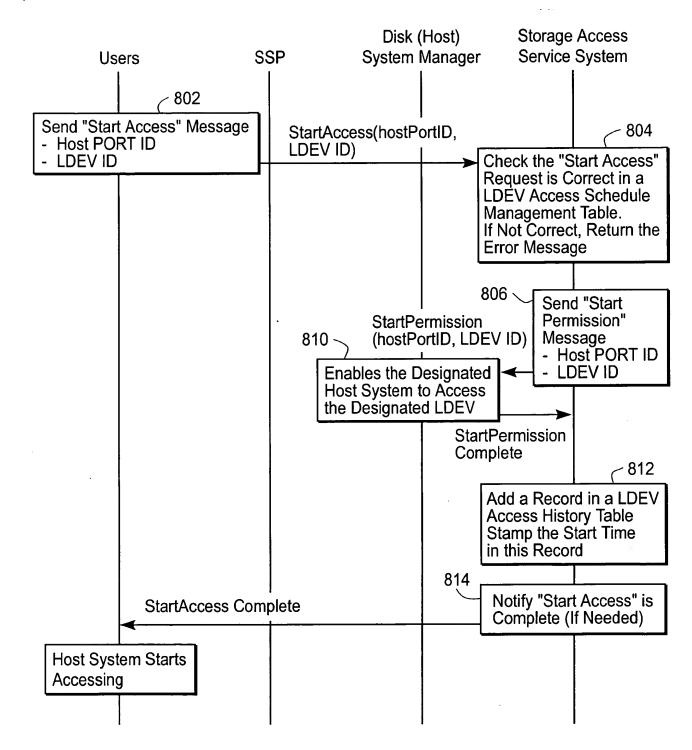


"End Service" Procedure

FIG. 7

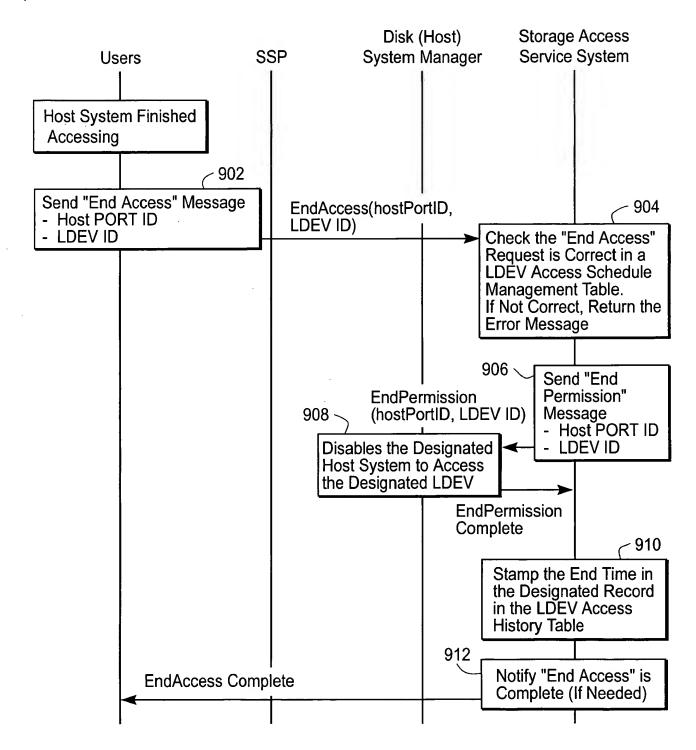


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"Start Access" Procedure

FIG. 8



"End Access" Procedure

FIG. 9

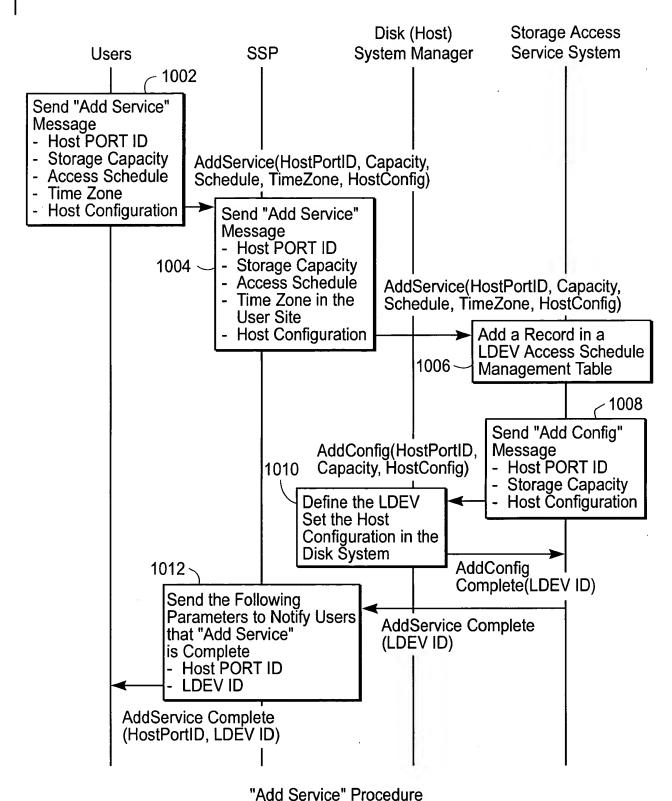
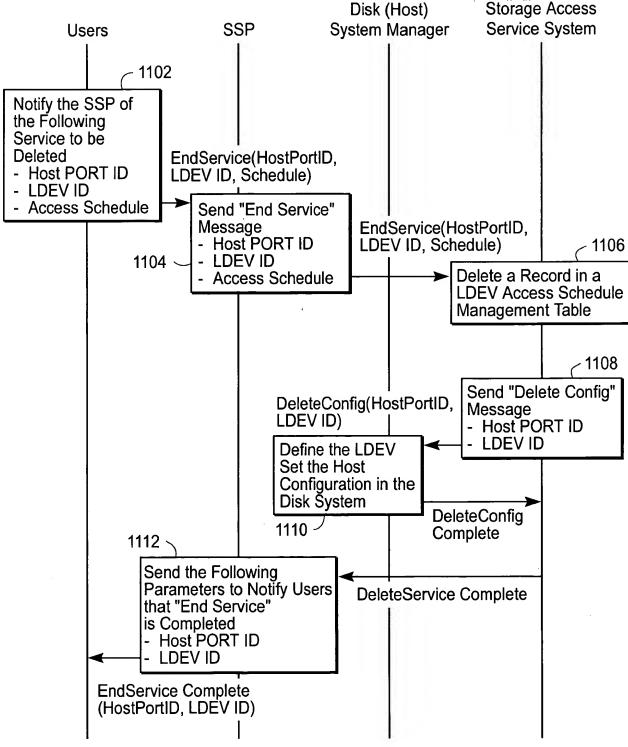


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"Delete Service" Procedure

FIG. 11

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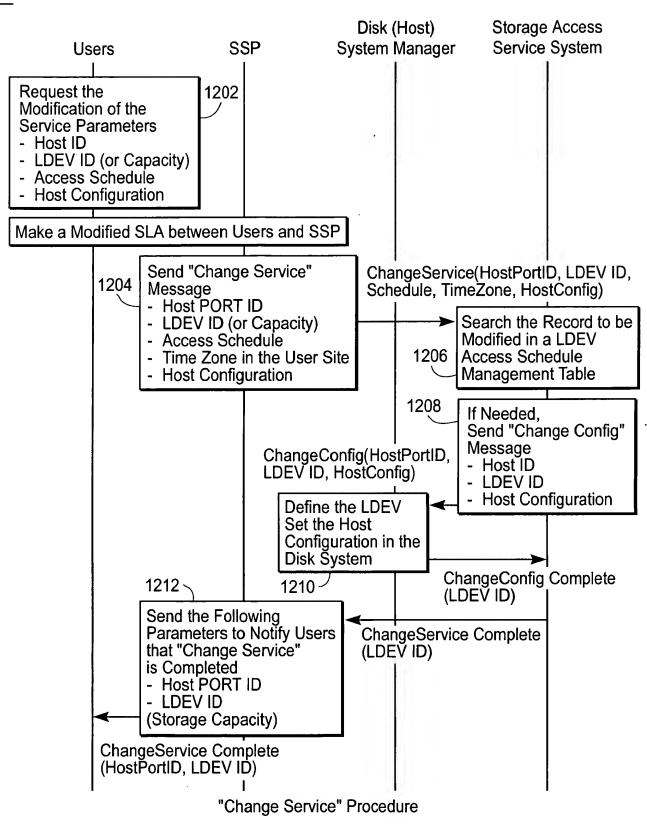
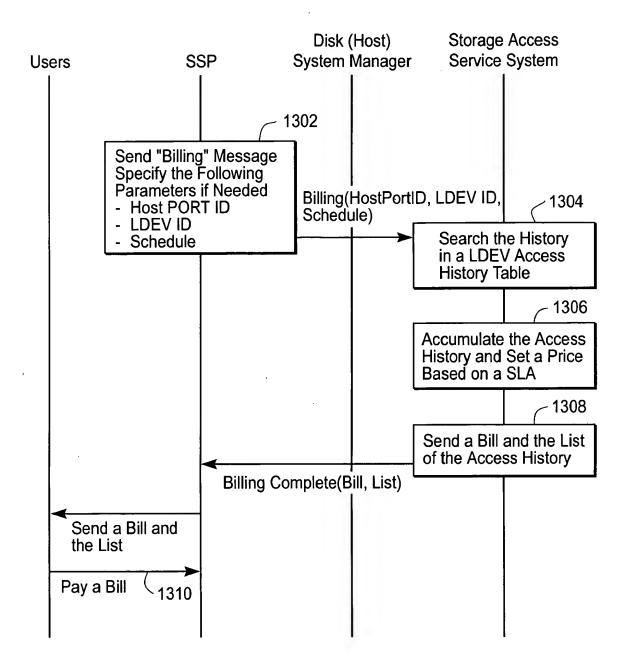


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"Billing" Procedure FIG. 13

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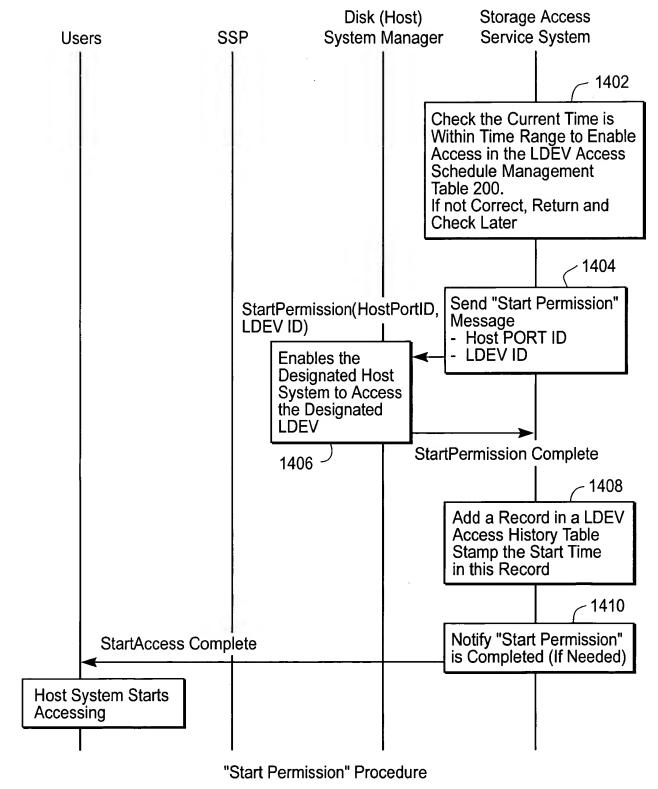
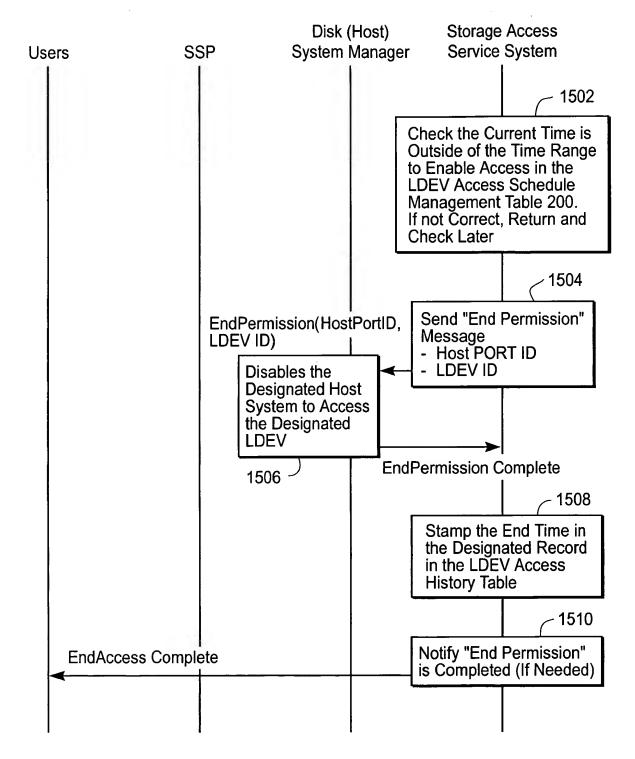


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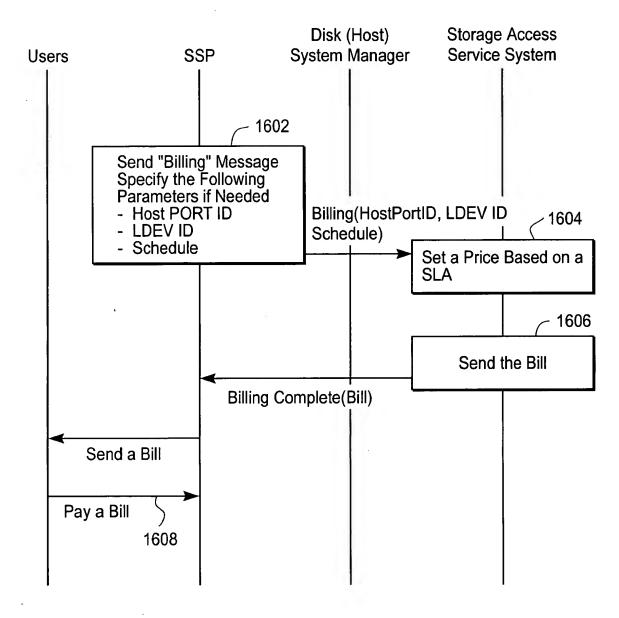
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"End Permission" Procedure

FIG. 15





"Fixed Billing" Procedure

FIG. 16

